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T. JACKSON, requested to hand same into this Office in If THE Company's Steamship Coal.-M. B. KAISHIA. Fordy Vanderbilt (a Young TO.MORROW. Ladies' Hand Bags and Carriage Cases. December 15, SEPTIMA, German steamer, 783, the 18th day of December, 1888, at 4 P.M. Exchange for SURIP. CH. FISHER Despatch Cases in Morocco and Russia. By Order of the Board of Directors, are published for general information. P. Hansen, Kobe 8th December, Coal.-ED. "ANCHISES." Harry Jerome (His Friend) H. M. IMANO Jewel Boxes and Caskets. Chief Manager. ALEXANDER LEVY. Captain Lapage, will be despatched as above By Command. Ladies' Companions and Fitted Work Bags. Georgy Astor (" So glad") .. W. CRIPPS Hongkong, 4th September, 1888. SCHELLHASS & Co. on SATURDAY, the 22nd inst. ARATHOON SETH. Secretary. Book Slides and Brackets. Paper Knives. James McNab (a Bailiff). .. G. CLEVELAND December 16, Ching-wo, British steamer, 1,556, for the Colonial Secretary. ictoria Buildings. Passengers for Europe desiring to proceed NOTICE Poter Neverlate(a Postman) Cigar and Cigarette Boxes in walnut and cak. .. G. HARRISON Overland, can, on application to the undersigned, Hongkong, 15th December, 1888. R. H. Machugh, Glasgow, Liverpool 25th Colonial Secretary's Office. Jooko (an Ape) Tantalus Spirit and Perfume Stands. have their Trokets endorsed for surrender at RULES OF THE HONGKONG Hongkong, 8th December, 1888. October, and Singapore 9th December. Ge-HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB Ornamental Glass Ware. Mrs. Mudd ta Talkative Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to neral.-ABNHOLD, KARBEBG & Co. Lady) MissE.LEAMINGTON Lamp and Candle Shades. RACE MEETING. Marseilles (by Transatlantic Company's express Clarissa (Her Daughter) ... , MAUDE HARE The New Tennis Belt for Ladies. December 16, Fushum, Chinese steamer, 1,600, Particulars of the letting by Public Austion Boats) and thence to Paris or London. 1.—The business of the above Bank will be Time Piece on Plush Stands. VERA PATEY Sale, to be held [O-MORROW. the 18th Algiers is 28 hours steam from Marseilles and Croad, Shanghai 13th December, General. conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai HONGKONG DERBY. Nadgy Powers NELLIE ARLINE Date Stands and Table Gongs. day of December, 1888, at 4 P.M., by Order of thence to London occupies about the same time. Banking Corporation, on their premises in Lielie Langtry Potter FLO MORBISON -C. M. S. N. Co. A variety of Elegently Drossed Dolls. HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFI ERADMINIS BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agenta. Hongkong. Business hours on week-days. 10 WEEPSTAKES of \$20 each, half forfeit if Photograph Frames, Photo Scrap Albums December 16, METAPEDIA, British str., 1,454, J. (a Stage-struck) TERINGTHE GOVERNMENT of Two Lors Hongkong, 15th December, 1888. to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1. declared on or before day of closing En-Wall Pockets, Cushions, Card Baskets. House-maid in . G. WRITEFORD B. Purvis, Nagasaki 12th December: Coal. Spivons . love with Nap) } of CROWN LAND, in the Colony of Houg-2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 tries, with \$100 added for 1st Pony, and \$50 for Opera Glasses in elegant designs. one time will not be received. No depositor kong, for a term of 999 Years. PUBLIC AUCTION -TARASIMA COLLIERY KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG 2nd. For all China Ponies bond fide Griffins December 16, NERBUDDA, British str., 1,948, T. may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. at date of Entry (SATURDAY, 19th January, Prices:— | No of Sale 3.-Depositors in the Savings Bank having A FINE COLLECTION OF 1889). First Pony, 70 per cent; Second, 20 per cent; Third, 10 per cent. Weight 10st, 10lbs. One-mile-and-a-half. (Nominations close to the E. Gillett, Batavia 4th December, General. Dress Circle and Special Stalls\$9. TANE. CRAWFORD & \$100 or more at their credit may at their option JAPAN WARE -JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for SUITABLE FOR December 16, AMY TURNER, Amr. bark, 960, HAVE NOW COMPLETED THEIR HE SEASON'S PRESENTS. Clerk of the Course at the Club on SATUR The Plan may be seen and Beats secured at C.A. Johnson, Honclulu 15th November. 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. STOCK NEW DAY, the 22nd December, 1888). Messrs. Kelly & Walsh's Limited. 4. Interest at the rate of 32 per cent, per # THE Undersigned has received instructions Petroleum -OEDER. H. J. H. TRIPP. PEMBERTON W. WILLARD. annum will be allowed to Depositors on their to Sell by Public Austion, on Hongkong, 17th December, 1888. December 16, Bylgia, German bark, 333, P. Clerk of the Course. GOODS. CHRISTMAS daily balances. SATURDAY. Hongkong, 22nd November, 1888. ROYAL the 22nd December, 1888, at 2 p.m. at his Sales 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with Weiss, Amoy 14th December, General-CHIARINI'S ITALIAN THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, CHILDREN'S TOYS. WIELER & Co. Rooms, Duddell Street. LIMITED. each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must A VERY FINE COLLECTION OF CIRCUS December 16, YIESANG, British steamer, 886 CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR CARDS. JAPAN WARE, not make any entries themselves in their Pass-MENAGERIE Monour, Wuhn 12th December, Wheat and NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Just received from Japan, Books, but should send them to be written up Rice.—JARDINE, MATRIESON & Co. The Latest Novelties in at least twice a year, about the beginning of comprising :-FINE SECOND CALL of TEN DOLLARS January and beginning of July. SATSUMA, KAGA, IMARI, MIACO and TORIO BOWRINGTON. FANCY GOODS per Share is due on the 20th day of feet 180 140 ENAMELLED VASES, JARS, PLATES. 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the OLFARANCES. Suitable for December, 1888. BOWLS, INCENSE BURNERS, TEA and OPEN EVERY NIGHT. Bank if marked On Hongkong Sayings Bank CHRISTMAS PRESENTS & NEW YEAR AT THE HARBOUR MARTER'S OFFICE. Shareholds a will please pay the amount due BREAKFAST SETS, COFFEE CUPS, &c. At 8, commencing at 9 sharp. Business is forwarded free by the various upon their Shares to the Hongkone AND 15th December. Silver & GoldINLAID BRONZE VASES. British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. SHANGRAI BANKING CORPOBATION. Kwang-lee, Chinese str., for Shanghai. 7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, SATURDAYS 2 PERFORMANCES. and other ARTICLES in Bronze and Metal. NEW CONFECTIONERY TEANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED but the personal attendance of the Depositor or Very Choice CLOISSONNE VASES Doors open at 3, and commences at 3.30 P.M Amoy, German str., for Shanghai. COSAQUES & BONBONS from the 15th to 20th inst., both days inclusive. his duly appointed Agent, and the production of PLATES and PLAQUES. No. Norden, Norw. str., for Nagasaki. CHRISTMAS TREE DECORATIONS. Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per Annum IV RY CARVINGS, IVORY INLAID THIS (MONDAY) NIGHT. his Pass-Book are necessary. will be charged on all calls paid after the 20th Namoa, British str., for Swatow. HOLLY & MISTLETOE. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-17th December, 1888, SCREENS, IVORY INLAID PANELS. instant as per Article No. 33 of the Company. Swan, Amr. bark, for Yap. ING CORPORATION, Ladies' and Gentlemen's SILK DRESSING GROCERIES. WINES & DELICACIES. Thyra, German str., for Kobe. ANOTHER BRILLIANT CHANGE T. JACKSON. GOWNS, SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, A. G. GORDON. SPECIAL HAMS & BACON, FANCY Chief Manager. SILK EMBROIDERIES and BROCADES OF PROGRAMME. Norway, Norw. bark, for Mantung. Hongkong, 1st September, 1887. Secretary. ANTIQUE and MODERN SILK EM NEW EQUESTRIAN SCENES. CHEESES. Devawongse, British str., for Saigon. Hongkong, 30th November, 1888. BROIDERED KAKIMONOS and WALL LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. NEW SENSATIONAL ACTS THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE; Ajaz, British str., for Singapore. HANGINGS, Gold and Silk EMBROIDER. NEW HORSES EDUCATED IN BOTH Hongkong, 13th December, 1888. CORPORATION, LIMITED. ED SCREENS, &c. Ingraban, German str., for Nagnaski... SCHOOLS. LIMITED. NEW COMIC AND LAUGHABLE A Very Fine Lof of BEAD CURTAINS Activ. Danish str., for Helhow. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. and other ARTICLES. SCENES. Chowchowfoo, German str., for Haiphong. CATALOGUES will be issued prior to Sale, and THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Coin-Melita, German str., for Haiphong. the above will be on view on FRIDAY NEXT. Signor CHIARINI for the first time will ride Registered Office, 40, THERADNEEDLE STREET, CO-OPERATIVE pany will be GLOSED from the 18th to "a la baute Ecole" his famous and high-TERMS OF SALE.—As customary. Doris, German str., for Haiphong. Annual Rt. LONDON. G. R. LAMMERT. Educated Horse "Sydney" demonstrat-COMPANY, LIMITED. JARDINE, MATHEBON & Co., BEANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN ing movements and evolutions of the hippic DEPARTURES. General Agents. School never seen before in Hongkong by any Hongkong, 17th December, 1888. [2312] AND THE COLONIES. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LTD. HAVING LANDED THE BULE OF THEIR HEAVY December 14, DIAMOND, British str., for Amoy. other Horse. THE BANK receives money on Deposit. Hongkong, 11th December, 1888. | 2271 THE KOWLOON HOTEL December 15. CRINA. German str., for Swatow. SHIPMENTS ARE NOW SHOWING Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues For the first tme this "eason the torride and December 15, ALWINE, German str., for Hollow. PHE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, Letters of Uredit, forwards Bills for Collection, SITUATED on GARDEN LOT, No. 55, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business Rosinson Road, Kowloon, five minutes imposing scene of the ROYAL BENGAL A LARGE & WELL ASSORTED STOCK GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED. December 15, THYRA, German str., for Kobe; TIGERS, and the tamer, Mr. J. FRAME, in the generally on terms to be had on application: December 16, Acriv, Danish etr., for Hollow. walk from the landing. telescopic cage arm and arm with the brutes. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. WINES and SPIRITS of the best quality only having a pupil Tiger among the lot. December 16, Arax, British str., for London. "FASHIONABLE GOODS," THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Interest allowed on Deposits:-Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. December 16, CRUSADER, British str., for Kut-Land by Public Austion, to be held on GRAND REDUCTION OF PRICES!!! T is hereby notified that on receipt of SUITABLE FOR THE Two First Class English and one American written applications on or before THURS. the spot, on Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum Boxes with 6 Chairs\$ 9.00 chinotzn BILLIARD TARLES, also a TENNIS LAWN. Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. AUTUMN & WINTER SEASONS: THURSDAY. Single Chairs in Boxes 1.50 DAY, the 20th instant, addressed to the Uniter-December 16, Donis, German str., for Haiphong. Arrangements have been made with On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per signed ONE SHARE in the Company (about to Dress Circle Chairs the 27th day of December, 1888, at 4 P.M., SPECIALITIES FOR proprietor of the steam-launch Morning Star December 16, Ingraman, Ger. etr., for Nagasaki. are published for general information. Arnum on the daily balance. Carpet Seats...... 0.50 be incorporated as the PEAR HOTEL AND to run SPECIAL NIGHT TRIPS, last boat leaving DINNERS, and EVENING December 16, Kwang-Lee, Chinese steamer, for TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED), will be reserved By Command, Kowloon at Midnight. APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL PARTIES. ATERIALS FOR COSTUMES. ARATHOON SETH. Shanghai. in respect of each Share held by Shareholders Fares 10 cents each way. Children and Soldiers in uniform in the BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the PARIS MILLINERY, MANTLES, ULSfor the Colonial Secretary. in the Hongkong & High Level Tramways Gallery, 204 Cents. To all other parts of the J. C. L. ROUCH, December 16, NAMOA, British steamer, for East BALANCES of such Claims purchased on TERS, REAL SEAL JACKETS and DOL-Colonial Secretary's Office, COMPANY, LIMITED. house Half Price. MANS: FURS. and FUR TRIMMINGS. Hongkong, 15th December, 1888. advantageous terms. -If no application be made in pursuance of the L. MAYA. Hongkong, 13th December, 1888. December 16, NORDEN, Nor. str., for Nagasaki. KID, SUEDE, & SILK GLOVES, SATIN, Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE terms of this Notice the Shares will be other-Segretary. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. Particulars of the letting by Public Auction December 16, VICTORIA, Erit. str., for Nagasaki. SHOES, &c. wise allotted. Hongkong, 17th December, 1888. E. W. RUTTER. CHILDREN'S HATS. DRESSES. Sale, to be held on ${f THURSDAY}$, the 27th day A. FINDLAY SMITH. December 16, NORWAY, Nor. bk., for Mantung. Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. TATATERBURY WATCHES, THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL of December, 1888, at 4 P.M. by Order of His JACKETS, and ULSTERS. Hongkong, 14th December, 1888. December 16, Fushun, Chi. str., for Whampon. STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINIS-The GENTLEMAN'S TAILORING and THE HANDIEST, CREAPEST, & BEST TIME-THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING LIMITED. TERING THE GOVERNMENT, of ONE OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT is now re-COMPANY. LIMITED. KETPERS INVENTED. $^{-}0F$ PASSENGERS. CHINA. Lor of CROWN LAND, in the Colony of plete with New Goods from the leading NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. PRICE THREE DOLLARS EACH \$3 Hongkong, for a term of 999 Years. LIMITED. Manufacturers, and all orders entrusted to us YOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA REPAIRS NEVER EXCEED 50 CENTS FOR will be promptly executed. Per Hailoong, str., from Tameni, &c .-] No. of Sale FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, AND Beg to announce to the Medical Profession, ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING European, and 104 Chinese. MACH WATCH. SINGAPORE. of the above named Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, on WEDNESDAY, the JUST RECEIVED. and to the European and Chinese Community of Orders from Outports to be secom; anied with Per Ching-wo, str., from Glasgow, &c. -820 THE Company's Steamship FINEST ISIGNY BUTTER. ELEME Hongkong, that the remittance for cost. 9th instant, at 4 P.M. when the subjoined THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA Per Benvenue, str., from Amoy.-176 Chinese FIGS, FRESH BISCUITS, all kinds, Eno's DISPENSING DEPARTMENT Resolution, which was passed at the General FRUIT SALT. HYACINTH BULBS. best Per Amy Turner, bark, from Hopolulu .-Sole Agents in Japan & China Meeting of the Company held this day, will having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness for the Sale of the above Watches) Varieties, HYAUINTH GLASSES, CHAM-Captain's wife and son, and 118 Chinese. of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods be submitted for confirmation as a Special THEIR BUSINESS Per Bylgia, bark, from Amoy. - Capt. and Miss PAGNES, WHISKIES, PORT, SHER-10, Queen's Road Central, are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns RIES, CLARATS, EMPIRE BOTTLED of THE HONGRONG AND KOWLOON WHART Opposite Marine House Per Nerbudda, str., from Batavis .- Miss BEER (in splendid condition), CIGARS. Hongkong, 30th Angust, 1888. AND GODOWN COMPANY, KOWLOON, whence NOW OPEN. RESOLUTION. Darling, and 314 Chinese. delivery may be obtained: That the Company do purchase for the sum of THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM. Per Fushun, str., from Shanghai. - Capt. and No Claims will be admitted after the Goods \$25,000 a selected block of 5,000 acres of This DEPARTMENT, being considered of WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED. Mrs. Harmon, Capt. Fletcher, R.A., Mr. Bryhave left the Godowns, and all claims must be land in British North Borneo in the vicinity NOTICE. the FIRST IMPORTANCE, is entirely NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. ant. and 220 Chinese. sent in to the office of the Undersigned before of the Company's present land and for that purpose and to provide for the development of the said land that the Capital of the Each Department is under the personal ~~~ " " under the control of fully qualified and ex-Noon, on the 22nd inst., or they will not be resupervison of experienced European Assistants 'HE FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL perienced EUROPEAN ASSISTANTS. REPORTS. MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to Company be increased by the issue of 1,000 The American back Amy Turner, from Honothe above Company will be held in the Hong. BRECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO OUTPORT be left in the Godowns, where they will be Shares, at \$50 per share of which \$25 shall lulu 15th December, reports had fine weather The DRUGS used in preparing prescriptions KONG HOTEL, on FRIDAY, the 21st instant. examined on the 22nd inst. at I P.M. be paid up on allotment, \$15 per share on throughout. at 11 o'clock FORENCON, for the purpose of are of the BEST and PUREST-QUALI-THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE the 1st March, 1889, and the balance at such No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any receiving the Report of the General Managers, Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 22nd .The British steamer Benvenue, from Amor TY obtainable. time as the Board shall determine." COMPANY, LIMITED. and Statement of Accounts to the 30th Noveminstant, will be subject to reut. B.—On confirmation of the above Resolution 14th December, reports had moderate monsoon Hongkong, 26th November, 1888. ber, 1888, and of declaring divideod. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice the following proposal will be submitted to the Shareholders:—"That the new shares be THE ENTIRE STOCK throughout. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company to the contrary be given before 10 A.M., TO-BREWER HAS JUST BECEIVED will be CLOSED from the 8th to he 21st inst. The British steamer Nerbuddo, from Batavia DAY. allotted amongst the Shareholders registered both days inclusive. 4th December, reports had good weather through-A Great Variety of New Fancy Goods from CHEMICALS. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by on the books of the Company on the 20th MACEWEN PRICKEL & Co., Paris consisting of out the passage. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., December, 1888, in the proportion of one new to every three old Shares and that as General Managers. Very beautiful Glass Table Decorations. The German bark Bulgia, from Amoy 14th Hongkeng, 3rd December, 1888. Perfume Caskots. to fractional parts of any such new shares Hongkong, 17th December, 1888. December, reports had fine weather and moderate MEDICINES. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Companions. THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY, which may accrue to any allottees, the monsoon from port to port. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL Card Cases, Pocket Books, Olgar and Cigar-Directors shall invite public tender for the HAVE BEEN LIMITED. Annual Rt. STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, PREPARED AND SELECTED ette Cases. Shares composed of such fractional parts The British steamer Chisa-we, from Liverpool LIMITED. 25th October, and Singapore 9th December, re Meerschaum Pipes and Uigar Holders. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. and sell the same to the highest bidder and any profit which may arise from such sale Amber Cigarette Holders. ports had moderate N.E. winds throughout the FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE, AND DAKIN BROS. OF LONDON, shall be distributed in due proportion Large variety of New Inkstands. THE SECOND ORDINARY YEARLY YOKOHAMA. 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HONGKORG, DECEMBER 17 cm. 1888. WHILE the heavy fall in the gold price of made. At present there seems happily no prospect of the prediction being fulfilled. The tendency since has been slightly upwards, Possibly the anticipations of the purport of the Currency Commission's report and, during the last few weeks, the report itself, may have had something to do with this improved steadiness. We think, however, there under existing offcumstances, and that violent fluctuations in the relative values are not likely to be repeated, in the absence of further extraordinary circumstances affecting the currency, such for instance as the closing of great discoveries of either the one metal or lism fluctuations from the latter cause would be obviated, and there would be no inducement for the Indian or any other Government to adopt measures calculated to cause violent disturbance of values. Bi-metallism nearly all the evening. is, as we have contended for years past, the true policy in relation to currency. Had would have maintained their value. would restore these coins to their previous ratiobetween the two metals as the proper one terwards with other matters of detail. Any fixed ratio, they hold, would be better than agitation. the uncertainty of the last twelve years. If an international congress were held on the subject forthwith and a conclusion come to it a value of from 8s. to 3s. 2d. Independently of any international agreement it will we think, be found that the doll r will range about these figures for many years to come, The disturbing causes which came int operation in 1876 have exhausted themselves, and in the absence of any further convulsion in currency matters, the present relative values of the precious metals are not likely to vary much. It is to prevent the possibility of such convulsions that wa hold bi-metallism to be so essential to the world's commercial and industrial A most disastrous mistake wil be made should the lessons of the last twelve years' experience be disregarded, for new causes of disturbance may arise unless mensures be taken to secure stabi lity. We think, however, that no immediate apprehension of great fluctuations nied be felt. The scarcity of gold is being balanced by the constantly growing banking facilities which prevail in Western countries, and, the largequantities of silver that linve been thrown on the market of lite years having been absorbed and the glut baving disappeared, the annual output on its present basis is not more than sufficient to meet requirements. On the former point we may quote some remarks made by Mr. J. W. BIRCH, the President of the Bankers' Institute, at the last meeting of that body. Mr. BIECH remarked that on referring to the issues both of country bankers and joint-stock banks in October, 1878, and October, 1888, and to the Clearing-house returns for the first nine months of those two years, he found that, while there had evidently been an enormous in crease in the business of the country, it have been conducted with a much less amount of ordinary currency, the vacuum being filled up by the various systems of credit. economy in the use of gold has been going on in an increasing ratio for a long time past, but is, we believe, still far from having its bigbest development. The expansion of trade that began in the fifties and that has revolutionised the commerce of the world has been secribed by some to the and California and the increased facilities afforded to industry by the expansion of the currency; by others to improved communiby England of free trade. All these causes

come absorbed, and of late years the annua production has been unequal to the de mand, increased as that demand has been last adjusted themselves to the rew conditions, and another era of prosperity has got in which, we trust, and think there is such "supera" as they can command, but while reason to believe, will not be of short continuance. The economy in the use of gold THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY referred to by the President of the Bankers' to a fresh supply of the metal, and trade will prosper in proportion as this economy is increased. With regard to silver, without any legislation on its behalf the metal has stendied itself at a price far short of that to which it was predicted it would decline. forms the standard of value for the whole of Asia, which, with its expanding trade, will require a constantly increased supply, China, it is known, would be a ready borrower, but she wantseilver, and in view of the late course of events she has hitherte objected to contract a loan repayable in gold, while capitalists working on a gold basis have been unwilling to lend on a condition of repayment in silver. There would now be little risk to either party, whether the luan were expressed in gold or silver, if, as we suppose, the two metals in relation to each other have again arrived at a state of equilibrium.

It is notified in the Gasette that Christman

Eve. Christmas Day, Wednesday, 26th December, and New Year's Day are to be observed as Government holidays. Particulars of the examinations for Eastern

silver was in progress the prediction that Cadetships and the conditions under which the dollar would reach 2s. 6d. was frequently cadets join the Hongkong" Livil Service are ly, that any part entrusted to him will be inpublished in the Gasotte.

The following is the Order of the Day for decline was arrested some months ago and the this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative tory Schools Ordinance, 1886

The old proverb "it never rains but it pours" appears to be exemplified in Captain Craig's case: It was only a few days ago that we recorded a presentation made to him in Sydney another one took place here on Saturday last is reason for believing that silven has when the Chinese passengers by the Guthrie reached its natural level in respect of gold presented him with a flag and testimonial as an expression of their thanks to him for the kindness received at his hands on the voyage up The presentation was made through Mr. Quong

On Saturday night Chiarini's circus gave another show to a packed house, the audience the Indian mint, which is very improbable, garrison. There was not a spare seat available | thankless part of Mr. Gibson by a most atrocious consisting largely of officers and men of the the adoption of a gold currency for India, or anywhere, and several people who could not get make-up. It would be almost a superhuman inside the tent were reluctantly compelled to go home without seeing the performance. Those the other. With the adoption of bi-metal- who were lucky enough to obtain seats were not in the least disappointed with the exhibition, which was carried out all through without a hitch. Cripps has been in somewhat had health recently. The programme of the previous evenings was repeated, and no new items were billed for pro duction. The menagerie as usual formed great centro of attraction and was crowded

Mr. Quong Tart, the eminent Sydney merchant, who arrived here by the Guthric, has never been abandoned the dollar and super had conferred upon him mandarin rank of the fifth class in acknowledgment of the services he rendered to the Chinese Commissioners on their would, however, be vain to hope that the re- recent visit to Australia. Mr. Quong Tart, after sumption of the bi-nietallic system now a visit to his family in the Sun-on district, Currency Commission do not lay down any neso emigration to Australia. Mr. Quong Tart recognises the necessity for restricting

would probably be one giving to the dollar experience when in pursuit of his favourite hobby yesterday afternoon. He was on Stonepounced upon by some members of the British millingtary" who informed him in the polit and high sounding language yoloptcockney that he wasa prisoner. Theamstear photographer heaved a sigh as he recognised the state of things, and remarked " I am," which statement was both pithy and correct. He also said that he would solice a passage back to Hongkong and that his acting had taken attorney little expected. It was a hard case, he said, and it did'nt suit him that his stay on the island should be anything but brief. An Inspector of Police who had luckily heard of the affair went over to Stoneautters and effected the release of both the gentleman and his camera.

noon the pleasing ceremony of the presentation of the prizes won at the Regatts took place. Contrary to expectation the number of people who witnessed the affair was not large, the ladies being generally conspicuous by their absence. this occasion, and performed her pleasing duty in an excellent manner. The caps arranged on tables in the Pavilion made a fine show, and as they were presented to their new owners, one International trophy was taken care of by M: Bramwell, who went up to receive it. President of the V. R. C. Major Tripp, thanked Mrs. Cameron at the conclusion of the ceremony for her help, and on hehalf of the Club presented her with a handsome bouquet. The proceedings terminated with cheers for that lady the President, and the popular Hon. Sec. Stewart-Lookhart.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."] LONDON, 12th December. OPENING OF THE KARUN RIVER. It is reported that Russia resents the action of Persia in opening the River Karun to trade and navigation.

It is rumoured that the Russian Consul at in which he states that his Government whilst desiring to maintain the prestige of Persials also desirons of avoiding a conflict with England.

" THE TICKET-OF-LEAVE MAN"

THE THEATRE ROYAL. that period that went to pay for the railways to get through it by the aid of the book and fore Sam, but there was a great officers' reunion to his wound. and steamships that were so rapidly con- prompter. Of course under such circumstances after this at which Colonel Anderson veritably Another case of elopement in Patshan. structed, and which now represent a capital mot only was the lady who filled the part unable brought down the house with some fine old man's wife runs away, taking along her acq with more and the more he arplanations of course, and the more heart and the more heart and the more are also as a course, and the more heart and the more are a course, and the more heart and the more are a course, and t rion of the world. The plentiful supply of does, but it seriously interfered with and ham, morable Highlanders in the support your Among muniformly offered.

contend with in the engaging and training of Stewart-Lockhart. allewing for this it must be pointed out dances :that either the raw material is exceptionally intractable or sufficient attention is not bestowed upon their drilling. For any defects as regards stage arrangements and soonic effects of course, blame can hardly be laid on the Company, and the audience are, and justly so, indelgent on these points, but we think if the stage manager could find the time to bestow a little attention on his "aupers" it would be exceedingly well spent. Of the individual efforts of the Company on Saturday night we can almost without exception, speak highly, particularly in the later part of the piece. Mr. Willard, sa Bob Brierly, was porhaps a little out of his element, but he gave such a careful Valse rendering of the part as to stamp himself without | Sir Roger de Coverley doubt as a good all-round actor. His only defeet was that at times he was a little inandible. The acoustic preparties of the Theatre Royal are anything but perfect, and unless | Thinn DAY, Saturday, 15th December, 1888 this is constantly kept in mind by the actor, some of his best lines are liable to be lost. Mr. Willard's scenes with Miss Patey as May Edwards were always good, but perhaps the best bit of acting be gave was in Act III , m Mr. Gibson's office, with Mr. Gibson and Hawkshaw. This scope where Hawkshaw decides not to betray Bob is a His Excellency the Governor and Lady Des difficultone to portray, but when well done, anit was Stonecutter's Island, and it being evident that Voenz are expected to return from Shanghal by on Saturday night, never fails to elecit unmistake- the race could not be finished in daylight it was the P. & O. steamer Clyde, due here this evening. able signs of apprehation, Mr. Phil Ray has been declared "off" by the consent of all parties and very successful since his appearance here, and from the manner he is welcomed when he appears on the stage, has evidently established himself as a favourite. Low comedy is undoubtedly Mr. Ray's line, but on Saturday night he proved, as he has done ou more than one occasion previous sample of careful, faithful, and unselfish im. personation, ranks as high as anything he has given. Latterly Mr. Sutch has hardly fulfilled the passage inside Stonechtter's laland while th 1.—Second reading of a Bill to smend the Reforms. | the promise he showed on his first performance here, but on Saturday night he certainly made guilty of. Hawkshim is undoubtedly a good not taken. The Ariel and Naomi rounded part, and Mr. Sutch evidently grasped that idea from the first. Taking it all round we are inclined to think that it was a long way in front of anything he has yet done, and the applause at the conclusion of the first some in Act IV. was most hearty. Even among so many good performances, Mr. Sheridan's Meller Moss was prominent. It was throughout a most artistic and finished performance. Mr. Whiffen Cripps handlespped himself in the first place in the task to make anything of the character, and Mr. Cripps did not attempt it, although it is only fair to add that we have learned since that Mr. of the small part of Malthy, and Mr. Fisher evid- good score of 32, but being penalized, the spoor impersonation of the part of Green Jones, al. the scores :though the character had been out down to somewhat small dimensions. That clever little actress Miss Gracie Whiteford again scored as Sam Willoughby, playing the part of the cheeky boy to perfection. Miss Morrison, as already Mr. H. J. Helmes will proceed to Canton, where he hopes to mentioned, undertook the part of Mrs. Willoughby have an opportunity of communicating without studying it, and was, of course, unable to Mr. position. The bi-metallic members of the with the Viceroy on the question of Chi do justice to herself or the part, but she played it well enough, even under the circumstances, to the number of Chinese admitted to the colonies. show that had she only had a little notice to preto be adopted, leaving this to be settled af. but naturally objects to their total exclusion and pare it, she would have made something of the to the treatment they have received and the part of the garrulous widow: Miss St. Evremond measures passed against them during the recent is of course nothing of a part, and as Miss Mand Hare had unfortunately not yet recovered from A well known member of the legal pro- her cold she was unable to sing the song that fession in the colony, a lover of the photo she was down for. May Edwards is the most graphic art, met with a rather unpleasant difficult part that Miss Patey has yet played; but it was on the whole, perhaps, one of the best cutter's Island unsuspectingly "taking" a yacht things she has done. In the earlier part of the lying in the vicinity when he was suddenly piece she seemed a little nervous, and was occasionally almost inaudible, but in her, later scenes, particularly the one in " The Bridgwater Arms," she showed considerable power, and was greeted with the most enthusiastic applause.

THE REGIMENTAL BALL.

To-night the Company will play "The Rose o

Auvergne," to be followed by " Nap."

The farewell ball tendered by the officers the Regiment to the residents of the colony was held at Murray Barracks on Friday night and At the Cricket Ground on Saturday after, proved a very great success. The rooms, al though rather small, were turned to the best possible advantage and it was into the midst of a perfect bery of bright and pretty adornments that Colonel Anderson and Mrs. Chaytor, the Mrs. Cameron, who has so often presided at senior lady of the Regiment in the colony, meetings of this kind, was to the fore again on welcomed their guests. The whole of the Inspector's employ. versudahs round the building were matted in and covered with flags of all nations. Chinese lanterns innumerable with here and there a ship's by one, the applause was long and lond. Major head or starboard light standing out prominent. Ellis was unfortunately unable to attend, and his ly among them were decked all over the walls; At the further end of the front verandah, worked in tinsel and evergreens, was an enlarged r presentation of the centropiece of the regimental belmet, turned on t which were several strong lights that had the effect of making the trophy a beautiful fill-up for the bare end of the structure. On the back verandah the supper tables were placed, lit up by lamps and lanterns running the whole length and suspended from the top. In the sitting room, transformed for the occasion into a revel house for lovers of the art of Terpsichore, there were several very pretty and artistically spot where to bury a decreed relative, but while worked things. A trophy of glittering bayonsts, contemplating the various sites and examining and after-rush was the water quickly rising 9 in June or July next. The following is the mounted wall piece on the other side consisting of by a band of robbers, who succeeded in looting the silver shooting shield presented to the Re. them. One of the company of friends, gifted South branch—the bore ascends the river in Expenses head office giment by Colonel Bond, nestling on a hand, with a good deal of plack and physical strength, two separate bodies which meet and overlap at Expenses branch offices Meshed has sent a menacing letter to the Shah, somely trimmed tiger skin and surmounted by falls on the robbers and manages to take the a point East of Haining. The S. branch pot plants and bushes ranged about the wainscot. his companions puts them to flight. for the time into perfect gardens. The dining kong, where he gets married. He brings his The boats had been grounded at 9ft. Sin above room had also been given up to devotees of the better half up to Canton, but whether she low water, and must have been at least half a An light fantastic, who denced with pleasurable was displeased with the place or displeased with the steam cutters was anchored with 33 fathoms agilify and with a sense of thorough enjoyment, her partner and her home is not montlosed, but of stout chain and a 60 lb suchor, buried in the surrounded by trophies, out of which shone the she jilts him in a heartless manner. There was not such a full house as might names of the most celebrated battles in which A free fight takes place in a gambling house a quarter of a owt. There was further a 2 owt. great discoveries of gold in Australia have been expected on Saturday night at the Regiment has been engaged. The quotation pear Dow balen-men between the gumblers and a bag of coal on the hight of the chain, a fathous Theatre Royal to witness the production by Mr. Twas a drum, a little drum, hanging on the wall, band of false braves who donned the uniform Willard's Company of the well-known drams Withered wreaths and tattered flags round about it fall with the design of extorting money. The Ticket-of-leave Man." The represents aptly fits the look of the old French drain The fate given of a woman who, sick of life, two owt, bage of coal were also fastened near the tion of such a piece was not by any means a that held the place of honour in the room, and commits suicide by swallowing opium. trations consequent on the general adoption of light undertaking, but the Company on the which was taken from the French during that A rebbery takes place in the western suburi whole came out well. The first two acts were stormy three years campaign preceding the The thioves carry away property to the value of rain hanging about. The murmur of the bore somewhat tamely played and hardly gave pro great final battle-Waterloo. The guesta, about Tla. 2,000, when they are heard and make in the distance was heard at 11.29; the case denied that the expansion of the surrange ful as the well over on the denied that the expansion of the currency ful as they were. The usual difficulties of the to the full the recherché supper prepared for covered a valuable necklet which had, as customhad much to do with the result, for not only representation were also unfortunately ang. them, before and after partaking of which, ary, been dropped in order to propitiate the angry was a white steep alone of water, overfallwould it naturally have stimulated commerce mented by one or two unforeseen difficult they, or the greater portion of them, were josses or to seknowledge their bountiful fevour. even with the old means of communication, ties. Miss Leamington, who had been cast indefstigable in their exertions to get through A man, not an experienced shot, in the excite

old poured out at that time has now be- pered the efforts of the other performers, those present at the ball we noticed the follow-There were also one or two little details which ing .- His Excellency the Acting Governor, state hangs herself. might have been helped which, while not serious. General Cameron, C.B. Mrs. Cameron, and the ly affecting the success of the piece, would have Misses Cameron, Commodore Maxwell by the discarding of silver. Prices have at considerably increased it had they been given a Hon. J. M. Price, Hon. P. Ryrie, and Hon. little more pare to. We are, of course, quite Wong Shing, Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., Mr. aware of the difficulties the management has to Withers and the Misses Withers, and Mr. J. H. The following was the programme of the

..... Torendor. En Garde. Gondeller, Espana La Mandolinata Meid of the Mill. DANCE ? Vales Fairy Voices.

VICTORIA REGATTA YACHT RACE.-FOR YACHTS OVER 10 TONS. Cup, presented by the Hon. C. P. Chater. Mr. W. H. Forbes's Yacht Naomi.

Mr. W. H. Ray's Yacht Kathleen. Mesars. Potts and van Buren's Tacht Ariel day of the Regatta, but although a start was decided that it should be sailed yachts getting away with all kites set and a freeh Easterly wind. The boats rounded the Cow-s-chas mark boat in the following order --

the Chung Hue mark boat, the Ariel being some hang over him. listance to leeward, and at 2.34 80 p.m. the Kathleen followed. The Ariel and Kathleen then tool mark, the Naomi's time being 3.87.35, p.m. and amends for any little failings he has recently been the Kathleen so far out of it that her time was Regatta Bay mark boat as follows:

The winning post was passed in the following The Ariel thus wine the Cup.

HUNGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION

FIFTH SPOON COMPETITION-200 TABLES. The lifth spoon competition at 200 yards took place on Saturday afternoon, the 15th instant. There were 17 competitors, and the weather was and that on Saturday night he was seriously in- bright and favourable. Captain Calder, winner disposed. Mr. Imano gave a very good account of last week's spoon, again headed the list with a ently struck the fancy of the audience by his fell to Sergeant Major Merson. Appended are b.

POLICE COURT 15th December.

BEFORE MR. H. E. POLLOGK. PALSE PRETENCES.

Vitorio Machado, an old offender, was charged the information of Inspector Quincey, with obtaining by means of fraudulent representations six dozen silk handkerchiefs from four Chinese shops in Queen's read; on the 14th inst. Prisoner denied all knowledge of the affair

and the case was remaided for proof of the ownership of the property till Wednesday next Bail was allowed in two sureties of \$500 each. EMBEZZLEMENT Lenng Ayan, a rent collector in the employ of the Admiralty Department, was charged, on the information of Inspector Lysaught, with embezzl-

ing 830.50, an amount collected by him from tenant of bouses belonging to the Inspector. Kum Hing gave evidence to the effect that he had paid the prisoner the amount stated as rent for the houses he occupied, and had received for the same a receipt produced.

Defendant admitted the charge, and he was sentenced to three months imprisonment with hard labour, the light sentative being imposed on account of previous good conduct in

> SUMMARY OF THE "KWANG PAO."

The leading article of the Rwang pao of the 14th instant gives the second part of the posal submitted by Mr. Kleinwächter to H. Hau, Chinese Minister in Germany, for the improvement of the outh currency in China and for the introduction of a new coin and subsidiary coins, the shape, weight, and value of which are carefully explained in the article.

on a walking tour, but to choose a propitions

In Hein-an a man kidneps two youthful damsels, but is detected, and his spoll is resti-

tuted. The police were about to make his acquaintance when he gave them the slip. A bovine discase prevalls in Cauton and the

are urgently warned to beware.

A pip seller attempts to sheat a butcher, but at 4 or 5 miles from the offing, and it passed the he is detected and his trick is exposed. The seller breaking against her broadside sending water had concealed a heavy weight in the backet un- into the mixen chains and spray on to the Tendresse. weight, but the biter was in good time bitten.

three candarcens an every tast of prepared opium, water near the Haining pagoda. As it swept steamboats will perform a regular service by one voice. The authorities put on the squeeze by issuing a proclamation and threatening to seal had to submit notens votens to the extertion.

The leading article of the Kwang-pao of the 15th consists of a long description of the reaps every benefit, deriving as he does exor end to snother, devotes all his time, capital, and Entrance, 35. Time for tennage. Prize, attention to the field, which he can scarcely claim either receives a very small share of the profits. or has to face ruin and penury. Excess of rain This race was to have been sailed on the first or droughts play havor with his produce; the rent has to be paid, his family must live, he must coming sowing, he must pay old debts. arrears of rent, neurious interest, ment is not made, the proprietor throws examinations made at Hangohow by Mr. Geo. him into prison, from whence he will never isdoes not sow, he will have nothing to reap, so bbliged to disagree with Dr. Macgowan's inthat his woes yearly multiply, and, like the sword formation to the Society some

> A flotitions medico, with all the bumptionsness mouth of the river. Capt. Moore based his one-third of that at Hangohow, and he referred

Strict orders have been issued by the anthori. in terms of regret to the doctor's misleading ties for the clearance of all shanties and matcheds

their companions.

attacked by a band of pirates, who somehow or other got seent that he had Tls. 60 on his per- the force of the bore is greatest is further son. Nor content with looting him these marauders assaulted him and severely wounded tress 253 feet long and 66 wide, which deflects the sampan woman. A faithless husband baving lost his heart

all the preliminaries of divorce.

A dreadful socident told of a man who pays a friend a visit. His friend is so delighted to comes. Totals, a sumptuous repast the man returns home and shortly after dies. The family bring a charge

Another wonderful pig such as was kept in presentative to be taken home is discovered lamentable and cad as the natives convinced that its presence portended evil, put its life to ar untimely end.

(Prudhomme: Les vaines tendresses

At times, I wish for some fair lithe-limbed slave, Both deaf and dumb, whom I could call my own, Into whose voice-shut ears, when quite alone, might say all the fervid things I orave; Whose sensuous posting lips and mouth would save For me the virgin gifts of bliss full-grown, And wake in me strong ardonrs yet unknown. fulle we embraced in elemon like the grave.

could at least, exempt from all alarms, Taste in the splendours of such inert charms, That true ideal which in me long has dwelt; and I could clearly read, on lip like this, the words of Love, then with a passionate kiss, Confide to Love herself all that I felt.

Hongkong, 13th December, 1888.

THE BORE OF THE TSIEN. TANG RIVER. The meeting of the China Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society, held at Shanghai on the 18th

usual. The naval element, including several officers from the U.S and British ships in harbour, mustered in strong force, while there were of the year, however, some were sold, and be known that his plants are now giving indiover a dozen ladies amongst the audience, who purchases of new vessels effected, the Compa- cations of shocks of earthquake, which may be assembled to bear the result of Captain Usborne my's fleet standing at 50 steamers with a gross expected to occur during the next week within Moore's investigations respecting the bore of tonnage of 67.516 tons and 5 sailing vessels with 100 German miles south of Vienna. On several the Taien tang River (Hangehow Bay) of an aggregate tonnage of 1.990 tons, on Sept. occasions these predictions as to earthquakes which up till now we have had so little really reli- | 30th last. The number of passages made during have been neeful in enabling mine owners to take able information. Mr. P. J. Hughes presided the year by the Company's steamers was 2,187, precautions for preventing less of life in col and briefly introduced Capt. Moore, who, after a the distance covered being 1,386,052 miles. few preliminary remarks, said that for the pur- The freight carried totalled 1,212,650 tons, and poses of observation H.M.'s surveying vessel the number of passengers reached 201,874. Rambler, (of which the gallant lecturer is the During the year the company lost one vessel, commander,) was on the 19th September moor steamer of 920 tons, at sea. The working exed off an Island at the S. W. and of Chapoo, penses of the company are reduced year by year and which will in future be known as Rambier with no falling off in general efficiency on the Island. This spot is the furthermost limit for part of the Company's employee. Both the numthe cafe navigation; by ships, of the gulf. Tide ber of passengers and the quantity of freight poles had been erected at various points, and have increased steadily, calling for the construcarrangements made for almultaneous observations tion or purchase of new vessels to meet the grow at West Volcano Island, so as to make it possible ing trade. In October, 1887, a trade in coals beto trace the progress of the great tidal wave tween Hongkong and Kuchinotsu having sprung from the ocean to the estuary of the river up, the Milke Maru, a vessel of 3,300 tons, was Capt. Moore and several of his officers then purchased and devoted to this branch of business. A few friends go to the White Cloud Hills, not proceeded in two steam and one sailing outter The building of the Musashi, Maru and Sendai up the river to a distance of 30 miles. The Maru, as cargo boats, was also ordered. rate of the stream was then from 10 to 11 miles tonnage of these vestels, will be 3,500 and 2,000 an hour, and their first experience of the bore tone respectively. They are expected to arrive eight feet in diameter, faced an elegantly the feng-shut, they were unexpectedly attacked feet. But having missed their way, the party profit and loss account for the year ending in the boats were not able to see the main bore | 30th September last :-on this occasion, and they dropped into the batons areaswise and a large crown. Handsome stelen things back, and with the assistance of is never so high as the Northern, and on the present occasion it came in without a cascade. Even then the force of the rush of ing in this and other rooms transformed them A story told of a man who goes to Hong- water was very great, as is shown by the sequel. sand; and backed up by four from weights each and a half from the anchor. The miling outter was secured with a 60 lb. bolt anchor, buried in the sand, with 80 fathoms of grapust, to which anchor. Captain Moore's description of the approach of the bore is very vivid and we quote : ing and pouring over itself as it advanced, the river filling up to the level of the flood as but it was the wealth dug out of the bowels for Mrs. Willoughby, was at the last moment the long and well arranged programme of dances ment of the moment, puts a double charge in his the bore went by." In a few minutes afterwards of the earth in such prodigious quintities at unable to appear, and as no one had been which we give below. The festivities, as far as gun, which we give below. The festivities, as far as gun, which we give below. The festivities as far as understudying the part, Miss Morrison had the ladies were concerned, broke up shortly be mutilated him droedfully. The man succumbed brought up with a severe jork, and commenced to drift to the westward, the sailing outler

A widow unable any longer to bear her lonely burnished till they resembled polished silver. The coal in the bags, with the exception of a owt in one, had been all washed out, and the bage filled with sand packed so tightly that it had to be out out with axes. The strength of the current must have been at least 10 miles an hour and there was an interval of three hours between the appearance of the bore at Rambler island and at Haining. Next day the bore was dishonest owners in collusion with the butchers seen under even more favourable conditions by bring the sickly beef into the market. Beef-saters | Lieut. Balfour on the Rambler. On this occasion the bore was at 9.45 first seen approaching

vessel at 10.15, the force of the waves when

but the wholesale and retail dealers refuse with past, the front was a white cascade of feaming the rivers Schilks and the Amour, carrying water, while the south side of the bore consisted of a long line of breakers and a wall of water tapering out behind. The top of the eascade up the shops of the recalcitrant dealers. These was surmounted by broken water extending far behind in which no ordinary boat cou'd have section will commence the third district, the lived. Captain Moore estimated the height of the line of Southern Ussuri, which passes the bore at 9 feet, and the broken water behind it at 13 or 14 feet above the level of the river in toil front, but the Chinese standing by termed this Vladivostock is about 5,000 versts (a verst and hardships which are the share of the labour- a very moderate bore. A number of junks came | two-thirds of a mile) of which 2,620 verst will ing blam. The owners of land, the writer shows, up behind the disturbed water and, though there be traversed by steamer, and 2,880 by the rail. was no wind, entered the river at a great speed. This bore was also observed by three of the offibitant rent from his lands let out to the poor cers from the Rambler; and as it passed the the construction of the railway from Uta to husbandman, who works hard from one year's payods it was travelling at 12.7 miles an hour, while its height was estimated at between a not far distant time Vladivostock will, by ten and eleven feet. Three of the officers engaged a junk to proceed to Haining and Hang- and Petersburg, and the Baltic will be in comas his own, and, when harvest time comes, he chow to observe the bore of the 23rd September. That night the roar of the bore was heard approsching at 11 o'clock, but they were not able to see it from where their boats were grounded. The water, however, around rose and fell in a most extraordinary manner, to a height of three provide himself with seed for the forth- feet, several times, without any surface disturb snee. This was owing to the conflict between the outflowing stream, and the incoming flood A where are the funds to come from when his some distance at Rambler Island, roughly esti-

purse is empty and his home desolate? If pay- mated its height at under five feet. Subsequent Moule established the fact that the range of the Spring tide at Hangchow does not exceed six signately -" No, George," she suswered, "but sae; if he does not eat, he must face death; if he feet, and Captain Moore said he was reluctantly when you say that the day you call me yours terpreted with care and talent. His Dalton, as a At 2.29.10 p.m. the Ariel and Naomi rounded of Damocles, rain, privation, wants misery ever sigo, that he had seen the bore in put it on a trifle too thick: You seem to forneighbourhood of Hangchow rise to get, George, that I am a widow. a height of 30 feet (laughter), and that the cascade was higher off the city than at the Naomi stood away for the Hougkong shore. At and swagger of a quack, prescribes nostrums not estimate of the beight of the bore at Hangehow as five years' confinement in a dark cell should 3.31.50 p.m. the Ariel rounded the Flagship quite wholesome to his unfortunate victims. The upon the well known fact that a bore cannot be be judicially inflicted. Two convicts, however, higher than high water spring tide. The range have just received this sentence for taking part patience of his patients was at length exhausted, of the tide at the mouth of the river was from in a mutiny in prison. The ringlesder, who had

> account of the bore as given in Professor Maury's well-known Physical Geography of the erected over the canal in the western part of the Sea. From all Capt. Muore's own observations, and those of his officers, he was inclined to set Another gambling house is attacked by rob- down the limit of the bore in the estuary at 18 bers, but in this instance they meet with a feet at the utmost. He gave a very interesting account of the manner in which the junks are warm reception leaving behind them one of protected from the force of the bore by platforms with parrow steps out in the sides, A man on his way from Polo to Canton is and of the great sea wall, 35 miles long which profects the country to the north from inundation. The part of this wall strengthened by a massive elliptical stone but the flood from the platform upon which the junks are drawn up for shelter. He described in detail the shelters for junks in this platform. with snother woman, puts away his wife without and the sea wall which is 23; feet shove low young fry and c ab was six and a half ounces, or water at the Pagoda, which is of the most massive character and kept in wonderfully good preservation. The importance of keeping this took over two hours in reading, and was listened the unpublished score. Lienchow. The fate of this lucus natures was to with the greatest attention, being rewarded with well merited applause. It was illustrated by excellent sketches by the writer and drawings containing Queen Nathalie's personal offects. en a blackboard, and will be printed in extense have been sent to Jassy, where her Majesty is in the journal of the society where it will be going to stay. The King has kept nothing of read with great interest. In conclusion Capt. what belonged to the Queen, and has even Moore gave a number of legends which he has restored all the presents that collected as to the origin given by the Chinese Majesties jointly. The sun of one million to the bore, and which is secording to them of france in secorities of all kinds, which was course of a fabulous and supernatural character; placed in the Bauk of Belgrade to the Queen's while the real causes are perfectly natural, i.e., account, has also been sent to her. Besides this the peculiar conformation of the month of the money her Majesty has about £80,000 in the river, the force with which the tidal current en hands of Meesrs. Rothschild, of Vienns. The ters the estuary, and the great rush of the river letter in which the Servian Legation at Belgrade water in an opposite direction, which causes a motified the divorce to the Queen was addressed struggle between the opposing bodies of water, " Medame Natbalie de Keschko," and orders one to come up and the other to flew down. A have been given to the Legation to use no other short discussion on the subject followed, Mr. style in official communications with the s Kingsmill and General Meany taking part, and Queen. a hearty vote of thanks to Capt. Moore for his valuable paper brought the meeting to a close. N. C. Daily News.

> > IIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

At the annual meeting of the chareholders is the Nippon Yusen Kaisha held at Tokyo on the 3rd inst. a dividend at the rate of 12 per cent. per sunum was declared. From a summery of the working of the company for the year under the great number of letters he has received from review, it appears that at the beginning of the England he has made arrangements with Mr. instant, was much more largely attended than term the Company owned 50 steam vessels C. W. Radeke, of Claphara Common, to exhibit aggregating 64,905 tons, and 8 sailing vessels the plant in England, and to answer all inquiries representing a tonnage of 2,683. In the course about it. Further, Herr Novak wishes it to

Expenses for passengers	751,018 58,908
Officers' salaries and pilotage	652,987 565,934 214,562
Taxes Miscellaneous Board of passengers, officers, and Crews	49,277 73,253 260,589 79,230
Loss on exchange Interest of debt	3; 29,932 29,932
Reserve for insurance Docking of ressels	*75,766 *860,818 *\$11,878 6,117
Insurance Boros to officials Dividend Transferred to next seconds	125,000 1,320,000 88,071 2,846,1
	5,617,9 Yen Yen
Passage money	3,885,679
Balance of interest Miscellantons Subsidy	89,798 238,512 889,000
	5,417,9

THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

The Japan Herald publishes some details anent the proposed construction of the main line of the Siberian railway, which have been supplied to our contemporary by one of the engineers who were despatched some months ago from St. Petersburg to definitely trace out the route, and who lately arrived, in company with two other engineers, in Yokohama. principal line will bear the name of the Emperce Alexander II. and will be divided into three districts or sections: the is to say :-The line of central Siberia between Tomsk and Irkutak will pass through the cities of 'I dmsk, Atchinaks, Krasnoyarks, and Irkutsk on Lake der the pig's stomach in order to increase the poop. The water then suddenly rose at the Balkal. 2ndly.—Lie Zabaikal line takes its matches below mean level course around the shitten leland from 9 feet 5 inches below mean level course around the shitten to 4 feet 7 inches above mean level. Again the by way of Tehita, Nertchinks, Verhue, Udinsk At Lienshow, the authorities tried to levy bore was witnessed from a boat beached at high and Strelinsk. From the last-named place both cargo and passengers as far as Bousso. passing by Tlahorovks, the residence of the Governor General of the Amour territory (Prismourskya Oblast). At Bousso the third Nicelskai and Rasdolnoi to the port of Vladivostook. The entire distance from Tomak to way. The city of Ufa. 45.50 N., 56 E., already connected to St. Petersburg by rail, and Tomak has already been commenced. Thus in means of the railway, be connected with a coow

OLLA PODRIDA

The Crown Prince of Germany, who is now about six and a-half years old, is already being made into a soldier; and is drilled every day for Sergeant-Major of the First Regiment of Foot

"And do you doubt my love ?" he asked, paswill usher in an era of lifelong devotion and tender solicitude, you pardon me, dear you

It sounds incredible that in a civilised conn try like Hungary such a barbarous (punishment and the heartless impostor has mot with his de- 19 to 20 feet, while it could not be more than committed murder, has been more mercifully. condemned to be hanged.

Klingenberg-on-Main, famous for its red wine. enjoys a thriftiness which few other German communities, or foreign ones for that matter. can boast of. It has no taxpayers within its walls. The yield of itsolay pits not only defrays the whole of the communal Budget, including school money, but secures besides to every head of a family plenty of firewood and 140 marks hard cash per annum. Happy Klingenberg

In the stom oh of a haddook recently purchased at Hartlepool were found 14 young whiting. from four to five inches lo g, and a small crab, with hard carapace; about one inch in diameter. all quite fresh, and digestion barely commencing The haddock was 17 inches long, and weighed, when gutted, 26 ounces. The weight of the almost one quarter of the weight of the fish.

A singular affair occurred at New York recentwork in repair is evinced by the fact that the ly. During the performance of Gilbert and see him that he keeps him to dinner. After country beyond it is from 2 to 6 feet below high Sullivan's new opera, "The Yeomen of the water at spring tides. The smbankment extends | Quard," one of the audience, attracted attention with more or less regularity from the Tsien-tang- by the singularity of his manner and movements: king to Wusung, round the Yangtse cape, An investigation was made, and of a resulted in the of poisoning against the friend, but on investiga- distance of 120 miles, and if this wall were to be discovery that he was the agent of drival theatrical seriously damaged, there is no doubt that the manager, armed with a phonograph, by means flood would extend as far as Shanghai itself, of which he was intending to steal the music of Shamien and handed over to the French re- and lay this vast plain under water. Captain the opera. The machine was required to tell its Moore's paper, which was of very great length, own tale, and it gave a perfect reproduction of

About two hundreds packing cases and trunks.

The British Consul General in Vienna has been instructed by the Foreign Office to request Professor Novak to furnish him with information about his famous weather plant. The committee of the Jutilee Exhibition which has just closed has promised Professor Novak a certificate, to the effect that the weather forecasts made by his plants were correct in 96 cases out of 100. Professor Novak states that cwing to

A few years ago Count Andressy told an interesting story, which shows that age had dulled Prince Gortschakoff's faculties some time before his death. "The policy, as you know, of Russia at the Berlin Conference was to secure a large Bulgaria," said Count Andressy, " but she was afraid openly to oppose England and Austria. So a map was sent to the Prince, with two lines drawn upon it, one showing the size of the principality Russia desired, and the other marking the area she would, if necessary, accept. Armed with this map, Prince Gortschahoff came down to the conference, and with deplorable want of forethought, laid it open on the table. Before long the two lines caught the quick eye of Lord Besconsfield, added Count Andressy, his shaggy eyebrows twitching with amusement at the reminiscence, and with a nudge and a wink he pointed tham out to me, the Prince being in sublime ignorance of what was going on hehind his back. I need hardly say I took the hint, and Russia had to be con-161 777 tent with what she said she would accept, and not with what she would like to get. In this way the small Bulgaria was formed." The British representative at Washington

can take the comforting assurance to his heart that he is not the only minister who has been laughed at. It is only a few years ago since all America was shaking its sides over the way American Minister Schenck put his foot in it by I a very simple sot while representing the United States Government at the Court of St. James. a Like most Americana Mr. Schenck was fond of a game called poker, in which some of his friends in London soon began to take an interest. The ladies also got in the way of taking a hand at the game, and one of them asked Mr. Schenck to write out for her own use a few rules as to the correct way to play it. To oblige her Mr. Schenck did so. setting forth the relative values of the various hands explaining the meaning of the dechnical terms employed in the game and giving full instructions in regard to the course to be pursued in dealing with "jack-pota." The lady for whom the rules were written loaned them to a neighbour, they fell into the hands of another who for greater convenience got them printed : the book publishers got hold of them and before Mr. Schenck knew where he was the world was staying at kim in sarprises the American Minister to the Court of St James, the author of a book on "How to Play Poker, several times as great as that of all the bull to give anything like the performance she manify Scotch songs that delighted the breats of thus, have desired as yet found but rewards are well speed about the fine full speed abo one of the standard works in diplomatists' libraries.

Italy, having entertained the Emperor of Germany, is now running her eye over the bill. His visit has cost the Italian taxpayer some thing like £250,000 .- Italy will not be in a hurry to invite the Emperor William again.

Mr. Kyrle Beliew is at present looming very large in Transatlantic attention. He has actual. ly written to the New York Herald demanding the name of the British officer who is said to have pronounced him " the greatest end in Enrope."

"I don't say marriage is a failure," said Adam, candidly, as he sat down on a log just outside the Garden of Eden and looked hungrily at the saltpetre, 81 bales gambier, 100 cases tapioca, fruit on the other side of the wall " but if I had cases gallauts, and 11,159 packages merchandise. remained single this wouldn't have happened."

licence to keep a public house in Stockton was star-aniseed, 80 cases essential oil, and 169 pack opposed by the local vicar on the ground that ages sundries. For London 80 bales silk, 6 his evening congregation would be lessened rolls matting, 35 packages mats, and 13 cases effect on the church offertories."

Queen Christine of Spain is said to be one of he finest swimmers in the world. She recently secomplished the fest, of swimming the Bay of St. Sepastian, followed for safety by a beat. She succeeded in making the distance in three quarters of an hour. Four ladies who attempted to swim along with the queen gave up the attempt after a quarter of an hour.

Mr. Gilbert Venables, Q. C., who died in England recently, was one of the oldest and most industrious of press men. He was the chandise. For Calgary 1 case merchandise. boy who broke Mr. Thackeray's nose at school some sixty years or so ago, and he was till the other day writing for newspapers and periodicals with which his first connection dates half a contury back at leas'.

Mrs. Langtry is superstitions. Rather than begin a journey on Friday in a pleasurable manner, she recently started for the west on Thursday night by a slow train. The limited express which left New York on Friday morning would have brought her to her journey's end just as soon, and she was urged to remain because of important business. But sheatamped her feet, shook her head and said: "Friday-jamais!"

Eligible women are at a premium in Dutch India. They are so scarce in that country that young men who wish to get married write to their friends in Holland to find them wives. The friend selects a willing lady and forwards her photograph. If all is satisfactory the would-be husband souds back a soiled left hand glove with power of attorney. The friend then marries the young lady as a sort of legal proxy, and the marriage is as binding as though the groom himself were present.

At a cost of £10,000 the Victory has been made water-tight, and it is said that she will last another hundred years. Two centuries is a very long life for a ship, and it is doubtful if the Victory will really last on long. In the nature of things, an historic ship can have nothing like the life of an historic house; and Nelson's flagship is the only really old vessel that we possess. The vessel which brought Charles II, back to England at the Restoration was preserved for a long time, but it fell to pieces at last

W. S. Gilbert, the librettist, is a tall man, with gray hair and close out whishers. He is a freat stage manager. At a rehearsal of one of his operas he devotes his whole energies to having everything go off as he thinks it should. He never smiles, even when a whole churus is laughing at the quaint conceit of his verses. Though extremely dignified, he does not hegitate to go through the drollest contertions of body or the most free and easy dance step to illustrate the idea to those who are to interpret him.

Rider Haggard has a curious theory regarding the fate of Henry M. Stanley. He thinks that the explorer is alive, but that he has been selzed, taken into the interior, of Africa and deified by some of the tribes. He is inclined to think that Stanley will be treated with the greatest kindness and veneration, but that he will not be permitted to escape. When the interior tribes find a real live idel who seems to them to be god-like in appearance and power they ero not likely to give him up. All of which is about as probable as Haggard's story " Bhe."

China's greatest sage, is one of the greatest personages in Peking. He is about 20 and of singularly aristocratic and preposterating appearance. His nose is of a kind uncommon smonget China Sugar Refining Company, Limited \$194 the Chinese, being of the type known as the -Roman, but small and finely chiselled. He has Luson Sugar Refining Company, Limited \$90 MACHINERY, GAS ENGINES, "EM- SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND BOMBAY. a bright and intelligent expression. He rides in a large green chair. His suite are well dress. ed and well mounted. Any obstruction to his progress in the streets is quickly cleared at the cry, " The son of Control us somes."

The largest gift ever received by a missionary society at one time has been made over to the American Missionary Society by Mr. Daniel Hand, an aged resident of Guilford, Conn. amounts to \$1,000,894.25, and will be devoted t the education of needy and indigent coloured people of African descent in the States wherein slavery existed in 1861. Mr. Hand had money invested in pine lands in South Carolina when the war broke out, and he was then a resident of that State, but being in favour of the abolition of slavery, he had to get out. He expected to and his property confiscated, but his confidential clark took good cars of it, and from a value of \$150,000 in 1861 it advanced with the prosperity of the South till a few years ago its worth was nearly a million.

vard, an uncle of the Secretary of State, who is a hermit, living all alone by himself in a hut of Hongkong, High Level Tramways Company, his own construction about thirty miles northwest of San Antonio, Texas, to which he betook | East Borneo Planting Company, Limited \$65 simself many years ago on the elopement of his wife with a preacher. On the west side of the hut is a little round hole about a foot in diameter. Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$121 per covered with glass. Through this aperture the hermit can look out upon his grave, over which | Songei Koyah Planting Company 840 per he keeps a constant watch. This tomb is duento the solid limestone. It cost him four years' toil and is ten feet deep. The descent into the tomb is made-not designedly, however by thirteen steps. In this stone sepulchre hangs an iron pot, in which the doctor burns sniphur, and through the tomb he often scatters disinfectants

On one occasion there had been disagreements between the theatrical authorities and Aberdeen students, who paid off their scare in a novel way. They booked all the private boxes for the first night of the pentomims. The pantomime was produced, but when the curtain rose on the first night not an eye was turned towards the stage. The house, instead, looked at the boxes and burst into a roar of laughter. There, dangling down over the gilt and velvet front of all the boxes were seen dosens of legs but not a face was visible. The moment the curtain rose every student had cast himself on his back and thrown his feet on to the ledge of the box. And so they ail remained for the greater part of the evening. The manager was helpless to remedy things, and wild with despair, the actresses ahed tears of mortificution, the actors raved, but the students enjoyed themselves and sang the chorners from the bottom of the box. Meet of then suffered from a bad headsche the next morning; but they said that they did not mind, because it was all for the sake of art—as they had taught heads above the managers a lesson, they had shown the Manie. Shangkai to the sake of art—as they had taught heads above the had shown the Manie. So to the saw. real legitimate drams.

An Important Discovery is unnounced in the station, Is Paris Figure, " of a valuable remedy for nervous debility, physical exhaustich, and premature Wrestock and \$0.34

self addressed stamped envelope." [87] Mr. Justice Grantham has fallen foul of a section of the newspaper press, with the result that he has called down upon his head persistent abuse. The extra-judicial atterance which has provoked this attack was to the effect that certain. newspapers live by libel and small gossip. Unfortunately litigation is pending in which the question of libel or no libel in the particular matter has to be tried. The path of a judge is a very narrow one; it will become marrower as the Press developes. Retionnos will in the Barometer future, be the virtue next to patience to be looked Hamidity for in the judicial office.—Law Times. And we Direction of wind ... would add that not only patience is necessary. Force of wind but it is the ordinary courtesy and urbanity Weather which adds dignity to the man and gains respect

generally for the Bench, and in the case of an

aspirant enhances the chance of his success.

COMMERCIAL INTRICIGINOS. SATURDAY, 15th December. EXPORT CARGORS.

Per British ship Honolulu, sailed on the th December :- For San Francisco 50 bales breken cassia, 245 bales kapok, 281 packages rattan, 505 bage copra, 2,522 packages samahoo. 1,875 packages soy, 56 boxes tobacco, 1,959 pkgs. tea, 72 boxes oil, 1,032 packages fire crackers, 56 cases gum copal, 15 bags clove stem, 1,500 bags rice. 1581 rolls matting, 126 boxes chinaware. 50 bags beans, 35 bags peas, 49 hoxes fire works, 102 boxes medicine, 172 bales gunnies, 220 bags A woman who applied for a renewal of her cases silk piece goods, 800 bases tea, 300 cases

Per steamship Parthia, sailed on the 13th December: For Kobe-439 Bags sugar, and 197 packages sundries. For Yokohama-51 packages apudries and 152 packages transhipment bags rice, 6 cheets opium and 2,867 packages merchandise. For San Francisco-258 bags rice, and 859 packages merchandisa. For Portland -2,072 bags rice, 599 bales hemp, and 563 HOIHOW & BANGROK packages merchandise. For Seattle-900 bags SWATOW, AMOY, TWANFOO Thales (str.) Hunter rice, and 284 packages merchandise. For Montreal—I box siiks, and 17 packages mer-For New York-509 packages tes, and 78 pack-

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For Holhow and Bangkok.—Per P. C. C. Klao. to-morrow, the 18th inst., at 7.30 A.M. For Straits and Calcutta .- Per Taisang. on Wednesday, the 19th inst., at 2:30 P.M. For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, &c .- Per Guthrie, on Wednesday, the

19th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Singapore. - Per Cassandra, on Friday, the 21st inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohams.-Per' Ancona, on Friday, the 21st inst., at 5.00 P.M.

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